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U N I V E R S I T Y

Educator Preparation Provider Executive Committee Amended Meeting Minutes

April 23, 2020 | 3:30 p.m. | via Zoom

I. Call to order

Dr. Reesha Adamson called to order the regular meeting of the Educator Preparation Provider Executive Committee at 3:33 p.m. on April 23, 2020.

Present: Reesha Adamson, Chris Craig, Karen Engler, Kim Finch, Andrew Homburg, David Hough, Barri Tinkler

II. Approval of minutes

The February 27, 2020 minutes stand.

III. Discussion Items

1. Unit update: Dr. Craig
 - a) Current language in the Teach Grant disadvantages secondary education students. College of Education students may apply for the grant as soon as they declare their major in COE; secondary education students must be admitted to Teacher Education before they are eligible to apply. Dr. Homburg is working with Rob Moore to draft new language for the EPP Executive Committee to review before taking it forward to EPPC.
2. COE update: Dean Hough
 - a) A contingency plan for practicum placement needs to be developed for our student teachers this fall. The contingency plan should be included in the district MOUs. There is a possibility that there will be a resurgence of COV ID-19 in October/November so we will need to be prepared.
 - i. A taskforce will be that will include Kim Dubree and Dr. Karen Engler will draft a plan. Other recommendations for the taskforce are welcome.
 - b) The CAEP Council meets this Saturday, April 25th. There will be a twenty minute window so they can ask questions. A decision will come within thirty days after the council.
 - c) Dr. Craig developed a narrative to supply student teachers in clinical practicum with appropriate devices to allow them to connect with cooperating teachers or other special systems based on a federal money survey.
3. Secondary Education Update: Dr. Karen Engler
 - a) Travis Marler is pulling a report on Monday for the MEES. We will be able to see what the completion rate is and report out at the May 6 EPPC.

IV. Old Business

1. No old business.

V. New Business

1. Dr. Adamson introduced the “Interviewing and Resume Building during COVID-19” document. The document will assist students in developing interview skills in a virtual environment.
2. The need for an EPPC Chair-elect for 20-21 was discussed. Dr. Stefanie Livers expressed an interest in the position. Dean Hough will reach out to Dr. Denise Cunningham to work with Dr. Livers.

Dr. Adamson adjourned the meeting at 4:22 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: Vicki Kramer

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